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Subject: Report to Commission, John Ladenburg, Pierce County Executive PDC Case No: 04-440

Dear Mr. Williams:

The staff of the Public Disclosure Commission made a report to the Commission at its special meeting held on December 2, 2004, with regard to PDC Case No: 04-440.

The Commission voted unanimously to hold an enforcement hearing at a future meeting rather than refer the matter to the Office of the Attorney General. That meeting will likely be scheduled for February or March of 2005. You will be notified of the exact time when that Commission Meeting has been scheduled.

If you have questions, you may contact me at (360) 664-8853 or toll free at 1-877-601-2828.

Sincerely,

Philip E. Stutzman Director of Compliance

c: Hudson C. "Skip" Stansbury